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SUBJECT: NEW RFE/RL TRANSMITTERS AT HOLZKIRCHEN

REF: A. MUNICH 0851, B. STATE 064913

1. EARNALL CAMPBELL OF RFE/RL AND EMBOFFS MARCH 30 DISCUSSED NEW TRANSMITTERS RFE WISHES TO INSTALL AT HOLZKIRCHEN WITH KRATH OF BUNDESPOST MINISTERIUM. CAMPBELL EXPLAINED THAT RFE/RL INTENDED TO REQUEST NO INCREASES IN THE NUMBER OF TRANSMITTERS OR FREQUENCIES BUT ONLY WISHED TO INCREASE POWER TO 250 KW. THIS, HE SAID, WAS NECESSARY BECAUSE OF DEVELOPMENTS IN RADIO BROADCASTING IN THE 25 TO 30 YEARS SINCE THE PRESENT TRANSMITTERS WERE OBTAINED. HE NOTED THAT IT WAS NOT UNUSUAL NOW FOR TRANSMITTERS TO BE AT 500 KW'S.

2. KRATH SAID THAT "SOME PEOPLE" MIGHT BELIEVE THAT THERE SHOULD BE NO EXTENSION OF RFE/RL OPERATIONS, BUT HE FELT THAT IN THE PRESENT CASE THE QUESTION WAS NOT ONE OF EXPANSION BUT RATHER OF REPLACEMENT OF OLD EQUIPMENT. HE SAID HE WAS OBLIGED TO CLEAR THE QUESTION OF APPROVAL OF THE NEW POWER LEVELS WITH THE FOREIGN OFFICE AND ASKED CAMPBELL FOR A LETTER
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SETTING FORTH THE POINTS CAMPBELL HAD MADE AND GIVING FACTS AND FIGURES ABOUT OTHER COUNTRIES WITH RELATIVELY HIGH POWER TRANSMITTERS. CAMPBELL AGREED TO PROVIDE SUCH A LETTER.
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